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PRESS RELEASE: THIS SURVEY IS YOUR VOICE FOR CHANGE

The BC Epilepsy Society urges all adults living with epilepsy to participate in grading the adult epilepsy programs and services in BC

Vancouver, BC: If you are an adult living with epilepsy in BC and you have ever wanted to grade the adult epilepsy system in BC, now is your chance!

The Your Voice Matters: Adult Epilepsy System Report Card survey allows adults living with epilepsy in BC to have a voice and share their experiences by assigning a report card grade to BC's adult epilepsy system.

Kim Davidson, CEO & Executive Director of the BC Epilepsy Society, has stated that "Adults living with epilepsy in BC have not had a voice regarding data collection in the adult epilepsy health care crisis. Those days are over!"

Kim added that "By participating in our survey, you are holding this government accountable and responsible for funding decisions going forward. Our doctors and patients have a right to the same resources, standard of care, and epilepsy programs as seen in other parts of Canada. This survey is your voice for change! Your participation has never mattered more than it does now!"

We urge all adults living with epilepsy in BC to complete our survey <u>here</u>. Please note that the deadline to complete the survey is Thursday September 10th, 2020.

The BC Epilepsy Society is a provincially incorporated charitable organization and a federally registered non-profit organization that provides information, advocacy and support to the over 50,000 people living with epilepsy in BC, along with their loved ones.

If you would like to learn more about seizures and epilepsy; find out more about the BC Epilepsy Society and the programs and services that we offer; or receive support for yourself or a loved one living with epilepsy, please visit www.bcepilepsy.com or contact us at 604-875-6704 or at info@bcepilepsy.com.

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